SUZ0031-US PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

MASAKI OKA

Serial No.: 10/575,529

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For:

IMAGE PROCESSOR AND METHOD, COMPUTER

PROGRAM, AND RECORDING

MEDIUM

Confirmation No. 9408

Art Unit: 2628

Examiner: RICHER, AARON M.

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 6, 2009, please amend the aboveidentified application as set forth below.

A Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time fee is believed to be due as detailed in the attached documents. However, any further extension of time necessary to prevent abandonment is hereby requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this response is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 50-2613.

Amendments to the Claims: reflected in the list that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks: begin on page 18 of this paper.